

# Avila Examiner

Volume 15, No. 1

Avila College, Kansas City, MO

September 14, 1989

## INSIDE: Homecoming Events

Play the Examiner's

**"Guess the First Avila Player to Score a goal in the Homecoming '89 game" Contest.**

September 30th - 2:00 p.m.

Avila vs. UMKC

Complete the entry form below and turn into the Student Life Office by Friday, September 29th.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Player Name \_\_\_\_\_

Winner receives  
dinner for two  
at a fine  
KC restaurant.

In case of a tie  
a random drawing  
will be held.

### Avila Welcomes New Full-time Teacher

By Kenneth (Montana) Jackson, Assistant Editor

Carol Coburn joins the Avila family as a full time Education faculty member. She will be teaching: Human Growth & Development, Psychology of the Exceptional Child, Elementary Social Studies & Science and Co-teaching Foundations of Education.

Coburn received a Bachelor & Masters degree from Kansas State University in Speech-Language Pathology and a Ph.D. from the University of Kansas in Foundations of Education, with an emphasis in history.

Coburn's background includes three years of teaching and two years of administrative work at the University of Kansas. She has ten years experience as a Speech & Language Pathologist working through public schools and private clinics, consulting for Head Start programs and as a Research Associate at the K.U. Bureau of Child

Research.

"Although I have worked with verbal and written language disorders, I have always been interested in research and the humanities, which prompted me to go back for my Ph.D.," Coburn states. "I enjoy learning how the transmission of culture, values, and social networks shapes learning in formal and informal educational settings."

Coburn wishes to, "make the students thinking individuals and reflective teachers who will feel empowered in their classrooms. I also want them to be sensitive to multi-cultural and gender equity issues within the curriculum."

Carol is a Midwesterner who shares her love of the outdoors with her two dogs and three cats. Among numerous hobbies, she enjoys backpacking, cycling and tennis.

### Thought for the Week

*Diplomacy is the ability to tell a person to go to \*#^\$% in such a nice way that the person looks forward to the trip.*

Looking for an inexpensive evening out? Low on cash? Does your girlfriend or boyfriend say "we never go out anymore"?

### SUB Movie "Die Hard"

Sunday  
September 24

8:00 p.m.

Marian Centre  
Lounge

Food and drinks  
provided.  
No Cost to You!

Maybe a nice dinner  
beforehand!



### Religious Leaders Sign "Harmony" Agreement

A wide range of local religious leaders, in support of "Harmony in a World of Difference," have been participating in a task force geared toward improving race relations and increasing cultural awareness. They came together at noon on Monday, August 21, at the Loose Park Pavilion, 51st and Wornall for a public signing of a covenant/voluntary agreement. Sister Ruth Stuckel signed the "Harmony Agreement" as the representative of Avila College. The covenant, to be endorsed by religious persons of many traditions, called on the signer to stand together against all expressions of hate and bigotry and to take specific actions to improve racial and religious relations. Reverend E.A. Freeman, Father Norman Rotert and Rabbi Michael Zedek are co-chairs of the task force.

"We are using the public signing as a visible way of communicating our commitment to these principles to the religious community and general public," stated a Harmony spokesperson.

Don't miss Bruce Willis in  
"Die Hard"  
SUB's next movie.



Sunday, September 24 - 8:00 p.m.  
in the Marian Centre Lounge  
**FREE**

With Computers,  
"New" Isn't Always Better...  
Just More Expensive.  
**SAVE UP TO 40%**

If you love saving money, you'll love Computer Resale Center. Computers aren't like cars... basically, they just don't wear out. That's the good news, because at Computer Resale Center, you can save up to 40% over buying a new computer. We sell many brands of reconditioned and new computers—and even make custom-built systems. And they're all guaranteed... just like a new one. Computer Resale Center... it could be love at first byte.

**Computer**  
RESALE  
CENTER  
(816) 523-3728  
205 E. Gregory  
Boulevard  
Kansas City,  
MO 64114  
LOVE  
AT FIRST  
BYTE



# Letter From The Editor

## We're A New Team!!!

By LeAnne Alexander, Editor  
and by Kenneth (Montana) Jackson, Assistant Editor

As the Examiner begins its new year it begins with new excitement, experienced writers and beginners with great ambitions. We start the year as a new team with a challenging goal. Our goal is to come together and create a paper that brings you campus news, information, entertainment, unity and events that relate to our community.

Accomplishing any goal, requires work, organization, and discipline. We have outlined policies and guidelines to help us in our task. The editorial policies of the Examiner are printed below. The guidelines followed by the staff are available through the editors or advisors for anyone interested in viewing them.

We hope our new format, along with personal drive, will give us the energy to make the Examiner a successful paper in 1989-90 and beyond, but we cannot accomplish this alone. We need you, the campus, to help us by communicating your feedback and support. By doing so, you become an active part of our team.

If you have an interest in being a member of the new team, as a writer, photographer or cartoonist please notify our staff. Anyone with interest and energy is welcome to join us in our drive for success.

### Editorial Policies

1. All articles, letters, and classified ads submitted for publication must be typed, double spaced and should include author's name.
2. All display ads submitted for publication must be camera-ready material/artwork.
3. All letters to the editor submitted for publication must be typed, double spaced and include the author's name and telephone number. Requests can be made at the time of submission for author's name to be withheld from publication. These requests may be honored only with approval of the Editor, the Advisor and the Dean of Students.
4. If, in a letter to the editor, a specific person (or organization) is referred to, it is the policy of the Examiner to: 1) notify those referred to; 2) allow he or she to read letter; and 3) allow he or she to be given the opportunity to respond to the letter in the same publication.
5. All students, faculty and staff may submit ads/publicity for Avila College events at no cost.
6. Opinions expressed in the Avila Examiner do not necessarily represent the official position of Avila College but rather that of the Editorial Staff of the Examiner unless otherwise indicated.

## "Just 47 miles south of Platte City water tower"

By Kenneth (Montana) Jackson, Assistant Editor

At a recent Seminar for the Faculty and Staff, the speaker asked each individual in the room to write a 30 second ad promoting Avila College. Judging by the reactions of the crowd, one could easily tell that Kelly Spurgeon, Coordinator of Career Counseling Services won hands down for best ad.

Spurgeon , "It is Fall semester education days at Avila College. Drive in, pull in, push in or tow in those educational needs for our gala Fall term deals. Financing is available. We are located just 47 miles south of the Platte City water tower and over across from the Greek Orthodox Observatory.

"But seriously," Spurgeon says' "I enjoy a good laugh but the purpose of my counseling at Avila is to help students find out who they are."

## Health Square SUB Stuff

Welcome back students!

Avila's Student Nurses Organization is a group of nursing students of all levels - they participate in fund-raisers, group activities, and help different community programs.

ASNO has started our year off by selling Tupperware. This money goes to our Thanksgiving and Christmas families that we sponsor. The money also goes to help us with our financial needs as an organization. If anyone would like to purchase some Tupperware, just ask in the nursing office and they can connect you with someone.

ASNO would also like to take this time to invite you to our next meeting September 18, 1989. We will have signs up to tell you where it is at and we would like to see you there!

Sub has a fun and exciting year full of special events, films and dance. We would like EVERYONE to join in on this fun. The outstanding tradition of Avila Homecoming is upon us. Homecoming will be held at Leawood Country Club, September 30, 1989 at 8:00 p.m. There will be tasty hors d' oeuvres and a lively DJ from Gary Mac Productions. All Alumni, Students and Guests are invited to attend. It will be a Night to Remember for all.

|                |   |  |
|----------------|---|--|
| September 28   | Homecoming Bonfire<br>Sponsored by Residence Hall Association everyone welcome  | 8:00 p.m.<br>By Fieldhouse                   |
| Fri., Sept. 29 | Recent Works of Jean Behrens ('77)<br>Art Exhibit - Wine and Cheese Reception   | 6:30-7:45 p.m.<br>Thornhill Gallery          |
|                | "Brighton Beach Memoirs"<br>Theatre Presentation  | 8:00 p.m.<br>Goppert Theatre                 |
| Sat., Sept. 30 | Buffet Lunch for Nursing Alumni<br>Guest Speaker - Debbie Huber   | 11:30 a.m.<br>Helmes Room                    |
|                | Avila vs. St. Mary's - Leavenworth<br>Volleyball Match, Halftime recognition of Alumni Players  | 11:30 a.m.<br>Mabee Fieldhouse               |
|                | Avila vs. UMKC<br>Soccer game, Halftime recognition of Alumni Players   | 2:00 p.m.<br>Avila Field                     |
|                | Booster Club Open House<br>Everyone Welcome   | 4:30 p.m.<br>Whitfield Lobby                 |
|                | Cocktail Reception  | 6:30 - 8:00 p.m.<br>Marian Centre            |
|                | Alumni of all Avila Classes   |  |
|                | "Brighton Beach Memoirs"<br>Theatre Presentation  | 8:00 p.m.<br>Goppert Theatre                 |
|                | Homecoming Dance<br>Sponsored by Student Union Board<br>Everyone Welcome  | 8:00 p.m. - Midnight<br>Leawood Country Club |
| Sun., Oct. 1   | Homecoming Mass   | 10:00 a.m.<br>Goppert Theatre                |
|                | Brunch<br>Recognizing "Outstanding Aluma/us", Classes of '39, '64, '79. Presentation of "Alumnus of the year" Award to Sr. Rose Anthony Schmitt | 11:00 a.m.<br>Marian Centre                  |

## Dean's List Spring Semester 1989

|   |  |  |   |
|---|--|--|---|
| Alreda Adams<br>Renee Aguilar<br>Dylan Aimen<br>Jennifer Alvarado<br>Myrna Arnold<br>Michelle Atkinson<br>Kathleen Axtell<br>Lynn Bacon<br>Thomas Bailey<br>Teresa Barbieri<br>Marie Bass<br>Laura Birmingham<br>Judy Blakley<br>Nancy Boutte<br>Rebecca Bowes<br>Darren Bradley<br>Marys Brandenburs<br>Michael Brown<br>Marilyn Brown<br>Sharon Bundy<br>Kerri Burse<br>Deborah Burroughs<br>Diane Butler<br>Mary Calvert<br>Barbara Capuzelo<br>Cynthia Carlton<br>Darla Carr<br>Sue Carter<br>Mark Chuning<br>Kelley Clemons<br>Rhonda Collins<br>Angela Comiskey<br>Cynthia Cook<br>Ann Corneliusen<br>Marcia Cunningham<br>Sandra Curnutte<br>Kristina Davis<br>Bernadette Davis<br>Stephanie Dietrich<br>Desiree Dodson<br>Thomas Dysan<br>Melody Edie<br>Loretta Edinston<br>Sarah Espinosa<br>Melissa Fallins<br>Sara Farr<br>Theresa Fehr<br>Diane Figge<br>Gena Fischer<br>Lesa Gates<br>Linda GatesRuth Gibbs<br>Shannon Giles<br>Paul Gosal<br>Michelle Graff<br>Susan Gregory<br>Ann Gretter<br>Jill Guthrie<br>Dianne Hansen<br>Lynnetta Hayes<br>Mary Healy<br>Janie Heggem<br>Julie Heimann<br>Maria Hess<br>Susan Hoffman<br>Georgia Jackson<br>Gloria Jester<br>Patricia Jones<br>Richard Joyce<br>Kimberly Jurd<br>Tracy Justesen<br>Patricia Kampeter<br>Kimberly Kelly<br>Christine Kindle<br>Michelle King<br>Cecilie Kistler<br>Tobey Klaus | Keri Kluter<br>Pam Komer<br>Tasha Kovich<br>Michelle Lathan<br>Ellen Lavery<br>Jennifer Lee<br>Michelle Lewis<br>Virginia Lewis<br>Martha Loehr<br>Diane Luckett<br>Angela Lynas<br>John Lyon<br>Robyn Mages<br>Cheri Mann<br>Dayne Martinez<br>Lennis Marvel<br>Diane McLaury<br>Shana Metcalf<br>Gary Metzger<br>Lowell Michael<br>Barbara Mickelberry<br>Shelly Mitchell<br>Elizabeth Moran<br>Margaret Myler<br>Elizabeth Nolker<br>Sharon O'Reilly<br>Lori Oellien<br>Christine Ogden<br>Amy Parra<br>Francesca Pascolini<br>Annette Penberthy<br>Diane Pennington<br>Lorraine Peterson | Deloris Phelps<br>Therese Piper<br>Mary Pirotte<br>Valerie Poulson<br>Suzanne Putz<br>Peggy Ragland<br>Tim Raveill<br>Ronald Raynes<br>Alisa Reed<br>Brett Reinert<br>Michelle Reynoldson<br>Shelli Richardson<br>Marya Ripperger<br>Teri Robie<br>Emily Rogers<br>Patricial Rowe<br>Kathleen Roy<br>Brian Sackett<br>Michael Schick<br>Kaila Schmidt<br>Jamie Segreto<br>Helen Schackelford<br>Ronda Shatswell<br>Michelle Shaw<br>Julie Shawhan<br>Gina Shay<br>Dolores Sheehan<br>Lynise Sheehan<br>Steven Sherman<br>Sheila Shiflett<br>Charles Sloan<br>Sara Smith<br>Laura Spero | Carol Stewart<br>Constance Stiles<br>Gloria Sultanik<br>Nancy Sutherland<br>Timothy Tarwater<br>Michele Thompson<br>Keri Tirevold<br>Lindsay Todd<br>Polly Tolliver<br>Richard Truman<br>Crystal Trumbo<br>Sherri Tutt<br>David Ulrich<br>Ananya Uthayanaka<br>Loren Valentine<br>Christopher VanHorn<br>Susan VanNote<br>Susan VanGerren<br>Cynthia Vines<br>Adrienne Vogel<br>Susan Waggerman<br>Denise Walters<br>Kimberly Werth<br>Constance Westlake<br>Paul Wetzel<br>Rosella Wheeler<br>Sydney Whitlock<br>Cindy Wilson<br>Cheryl Winter<br>Jo Wittry<br>Ann Wycoff<br>Jennifer Yarshen<br>Joanna Yeokum<br>Kari Yoss<br>Penny Young<br>Rozanne Zaccagnini |
|---|--|--|---|

### Examiner Staff

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| Editor .....           | LeAnne Alexander   |
| Assistant Editor ..... | Kenneth (Montana) Jackson                                |
| Layout Editor .....    | Sydney Whitlock  |
| Copy Editor .....      | Darrah McHenry   |
| Feature Editor .....   | Liz VanNote  |
| Sports Editor .....    | Jeff Kraus   |
| Cartoonists .....      | Alfred Jones   |
| Photographers .....    | Ron Simon,<br>Kate Axtel                                 |
| Reporters .....        | Marie Howard, Kate Axtel,<br>Virginia Lewis, Rick Truman |
| Advisor .....          | Beth Maren   |

The Avila Examiner is published bi-monthly during the academic college year by Avila College for students, faculty, administration and staff. This publication is made possible through funding from Student Activities Fees.

Writers, photographers, and editors are needed to fill staff vacancies. Interested students, with or without newspaper experience, are encouraged to become involved in the publication of this student newspaper.

Opinions expressed in the Avila Examiner do not necessarily represent the official position of Avila College but rather that of the Editorial Staff of the Examiner.

The Avila Examiner reserves the right to edit and print all materials received for publication.

For more information please contact Beth Maren, Director of Residence Life, Marian Centre, Avila College, 11901 Wornall Road, Kansas City, MO.



## The Chaplain's Corner

### Planning for the Year

By Fr. Mike Zahorchak

Summer is a time of many things, not - just for going on vacations. The summer is also a time of serious planning and detailing for the upcoming year.

Campus Ministry has been very excited planning events for the 1989-90 academic year.

Two things make this task so enjoyable. First, is the awareness, overall enthusiasm and openness of the campus towards projects sponsored by the various ministries. This is the mindset that molds everyone into a fellow campus minister and a co-worker.

Secondly, we keep in mind the purpose of Campus Ministry, which is to build community and work for a better world, or to use a contemporary theological expression, "to build the Kingdom."

These two things spirit us toward reaching the goals which have been established for the academic year of 1989-90.

Below is a schedule of planned activities involving community service and religious on-campus occasions for which the dates have been set.

### Campus Ministry Events for 1989-90

#### September 1989

Sept. 11 Opening of School Mass - 1:00 p.m. ( Mass of the Holy Spirit)

#### October

Oct. 1 Homecoming. Mass at 10:00 a.m.  
Oct. 12 St. Teresa of Avila Mass - 12:00 Noon  
Oct. 28 Christmas In October

#### November

Nov. 1 All Saints Day (Holy Day) Mass: 8:15 a.m., Noon, 4:00 p.m.  
Nov. 6 Clown Ministry  
Nov. 20 Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service at 2:30 p.m.

#### December

Dec. 5 Penance Service at 4:00 p.m.  
Dec. 8 Immaculate Conception (Holy Day) Mass: 8:15 a.m., Noon, 4:00 p.m.  
Dec. 10 Midnight Mass - Final Week  
Dec. 1-15 Toys for Tots (In conjunction with U.S. Marines)

#### February 1990

Feb. 1-17 Food Drive (for Seton Center, coincides with men's/women's basketball games)  
Feb. 4 St. Blase (Blessing of the Throats)  
Feb. 28 Ash Wednesday. Mass: 8:15 a.m., Noon, 4:00 p.m.

#### March

Mar. 4-11 Avila-Okolona Connection  
Mar. 19 Lenten Ecumenical Service  
Mar. 30 Outdoor Stations 1:15 p.m.

#### April

Apr. 3 Penance Service- 4:00 p.m.  
Apr. 8 Palm Sunday. Sunrise Service at 6:30 a.m.  
Apr. 28 Honor Banquet-Mass (tba)

#### May

May 6 Midnight Mass (Finals Week)  
May 13 Commencement Mass - 3:00 p.m.

## 1989 Goppert Theatre Season Preview

The Theatre Division of the Humanities Department of Avila College is pleased to announce its 16th season of Theatre at the Goppert Theatre.

The season opens on September 29 featuring Brighton Beach Memoirs, by Neil Simon. This bright new comedy is a deeply appealing play that deftly mixes drama with comedy. Neil Simon's autobiographical comedy portrays a teenage writer living in Brooklyn. "If you didn't have a problem, you wouldn't live in this house!" The play will also be performed on Sept. 30 and October 6 and 7.

On November 10, 11, 17 and 18 the Goppert Theatre will present Woody Allen's Don't Drink the Water which is set behind the iron Curtain, an American caterer is accused of espionage and seeks refuge in the American Embassy. Allen's imagination is daffy, his sense of ridiculous is keen and the action is non-stop.

The Little Foxes, by Lillian Hellman, will be performed February 16, 17, 23, and 24. Lillian Hellman's milestone in American drama dealing with the prosperous, despotic Hubbard family. This classic work explores the cruel scheming of the Southern aristocracy.

For its final production Avila presents Anything Goes written by Bolton, Wodehouse, Lindsay, and Crouse with music and lyrics by Cole Porter. This light-hearted story wrapped about the musical score of Cole Porter features such popular tunes as: "Friendship", "I Get A Kick Out Of You", "Let's Misbehave", and "Anything Goes" and will be presented on April 20, 21, 27, and 28.

## Orientation '89

By Kenneth (Montana) Jackson, Assistant Editor

Staff members from the Office of Residence Life and Student Life joined forces to coordinate Avila's 1989 New Student Orientation. This year 48 students and 28 parents were welcomed to the College.

Orientation is Avila's way of helping the students become familiar with the college and its family. Enrolling students meet faculty, staff and student workers who help them enroll in a relaxed, friendly manner. In this way, Avila

## The Organization of Political Science and Public Administration

The Organization of Political Science and Public Administration (OPPA), is a club open to all Avila political science and public administration majors who wish to take part in opportunities to share common interests and experiences related to academic study. The club also offers opportunities to participate in planning and sponsoring various activities on campus. It give a chance to reach out to the community and take advantage of networking capabilities, as well as the chance to become a member of a group of supportive students.

OPPA has been very active on the Avila campus for the past four years. OPPA has sponsored multiple social and special events, featuring well-known local speaker in various subject areas pertinent to political science and public administration. This year our advisor is Mr. Jack Ridgway, and our officers are Cathy McBee, President; Nancy Kelly, Vice-President; Linda Kanagawa, Secretary; Michelle Atkinson, Treasurer.

In order to keep everyone informed of meetings and activities, we will post notices on the Social Science bulletin board in O'Rielly and on the OPPA bulletin board in Marian Centre. We hope you will watch for these notices and join us this fall. OPPA requires no dues and meets once a month, plus planned activities.

We look forward to seeing all returning members and meeting new ones. Our first meeting will be at 5:00 p.m. on September 26, 1989 in the Barefoot Room at Marian Centre. See you there!

attempts to take the nightmare out of the enrollment process found at many colleges.

Jon Burke, Director of Student Development states, "The basic concept is to welcome students to our college and to make them feel comfortable. Students who participate in Orientation tend to stay in school and are generally more satisfied. Both students and parents were impressed by the friendliness and support provided by Avila's family."

### collegiate camouflage

S L E P P O T S E R F O X Y T  
M E C O X N U D T S L O D X S  
A A A O E T A B A R C E O O U  
R N G T N M R O B I M R C R B  
T O A L A S B A O E V I O T P  
I P T G B A I T R O T D N W O  
A T E P I L T D P V Y O A Y E  
L S R D M S R E E T A G N X N  
L U V E S E A X I R E F E O A  
A R N E T S T V T N A O I R T  
W T R D E V I A C E P T L P N  
S U B M F R O Y E F A C I O N  
D R E S P A N X Y V N A L O T  
S N O M M U S Y O T A E V A N  
T H E S I H C N A R F C R O W

Can you find the hidden legal terms?

ARABATE  
ACT OF GOD  
AGENCY  
ARBITRATION  
BAILMENT  
CAVEAT EMTOR  
CONSIDERATION  
DAMAGES  
DEED  
DURESS  
EASEMENT  
ESCROW  
ESTOPPEL  
FELON

FRANCHISE  
LIEN  
MARTIAL LAW  
NOVATION  
PATENT  
PRIVITY  
PROBATE  
PROOF  
PROXY  
REMEDY  
SUBPOENA  
SURRENDER  
TORT  
TRUST

## Avila Examiner Fall '89 Deadline and Publication Schedule

| 1st Deadline Date | Copy Due Date      | Publication Date  |
|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Tuesday, Sept. 26 | Thursday, Sept. 28 | Thursday, Oct. 5  |
| Tuesday, Oct. 10  | Thursday, Oct. 12  | Thursday, Oct. 19 |
| Tuesday, Oct. 24  | Thursday, Oct. 26  | Thursday, Nov. 2  |
| Tuesday, Nov. 7   | Thursday, Nov. 9   | Thursday Nov. 16  |
| Tuesday, Nov. 28  | Thursday, Nov. 30  | Thursday, Dec. 7  |

## Did You Know...

By Liz VanNote, Feature Editor

Did you know that our city is full of fun, exciting, and interesting trivia facts? For this issue of my new column, Did You Know..., I have chosen a topic close to all our hearts - Kansas City. For instance, did you know that a popular bar that we have been known to frequent on occasion is thought to be the oldest building still in use in Kansas City? That's right, Kelly's Bar in Westport boasts such a claim! Another tidbit for many fried chicken lovers who delight at the mere mention of Stroud's Chicken is the fact that Stroud's restaurant was originally Stroud's Bar-B-Que. Hard to believe - but true, the home of that beloved motto "We choke our own chickens!" was originally just another Bar-B-Que joint!

For all the beauty queens of Avila, there is hope for a Kansas City native. If Debbie Bryant, a 1963 graduate of Shawnee Mission East High School, could win the 1965 Miss America crown, then I see no reason why an Avila graduate could not do the same! Lots of other famous people at one time or another have called Kansas City home. Everyone knows that Harry S. Truman was a fellow native; but, did you know that the list also includes Joan Crawford, Walt Disney, Count Basie, and Jean Harlow? We are living in a metropolis of important people; maybe your neighbor is really Walter Cronkite, or better yet, Ed Asner!

Here is a piece of trivia that really puts Kansas City up there with the big names in my book; our very own Swope Park is the nation's second largest municipal park. Bigger than the famous Central Park of New York, Swope Park takes a close second to Philadelphia's immense Fairmount Park. In the category of oldest still-functioning distilleries in America, I was amazed to learn that McCormick's Distillery in Weston, MO. is still going strong and holds that title. For all those who travel and like to chuckle at the absurdity of the name of our airport, I have news that will shock you. Although today it is impossible to catch an international flight out of KCI, Mexicana Airlines did serve the airport briefly in the 1970's with flights to Mexico. Thus, there is some validity to the international part of KCI airport!

No fan could possibly have a complete knowledge of baseball trivia without knowing that Kansas City has not always been a Royals town. As a matter of fact, in 1955 the A's moved to town and began an era of Kansas City baseball mania. Throughout the late 50's and early 60's, baseball thrived in Kansas City under the strong leadership of the A's. In 1967, the A's moved to their present home in Oakland, California leaving behind a broken-hearted baseball fan club. It wasn't until 1971 that Kansas City fans opened their hearts to our present baseball team thanks to the generosity and money of Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Kauffman.

A final fabulous Kansas City trivia fact that I am sure everyone will want to remember is the location and the date of the opening of K.C.'s first famous golden arches. McDonald's® first served a Big Mac® to Kansas City in 1962 at 8020 Hickman Mills Drive. Since then, we have enjoyed several billion burgers and 27 years of "Service with a Smile!"

For more, yes more, exciting Kansas City trivia, try taking the trivia quiz in Paul Blackman's fun book, The Kansas City Trivia Quiz. I enjoyed it immensely and recommend it for a much-needed break from all studying!

## Spirit Festival '89

By Marie Elaine Howard

Imagine \$40,000.00 missing, over 100,000 people parading up and down the streets in downtown Kansas City and 32 children crying because they are lost. No, it was not a riot, it was the sixth annual Spirit Festival.

Although \$40,000.00 was stolen from a Barney Allis Plaza storage room, the festival still carried on as planned. The money was to be used for change at the entrances and concession stands. Fortunately, the money was insured.

The Spirit Festival is an annual event held in Kansas City where people of all ages and lifestyles gather to celebrate the Labor Day weekend. Originally the festival was held at the Liberty Memorial on the Fourth of July. Recently the festival was moved downtown and the date was changed to the Labor Day weekend. Since these changes have occurred, the attendance has risen from crowds numbering around 80,000 to a crowd of 145,000.

The well organized Spirit Festival made for great success this year. Some of the festivities included; fireworks, various food booths, live music and dancing. Inside Bartle Hall, other events included, not for profit displays, a car show and drawings for prizes.

If these activities were not enough, there were also many activities for children. Activities included: pony rides, pig racing and a carnival, while spiderman and several clowns passed out candy and clown rings. When nine year old Robert Taylor was asked what was his favorite event, he replied, "I like the carnival, but I LOVE the roller coaster because of the scari-

ness of it."

Because the festival covered six square blocks, the Lost Children's Network sponsored by the Salvation Army was greatly needed. This program was designed to help lost children find their parents. Dee Larsen, Director of Volunteers said, "A total of 32 lost children were reunited with their families."

Truman Medical Center volunteered to handle any medical emergencies at the festival. Two stations were set up, one on the 12th Street side of the Allis Plaza and the other on the 13th Street side. Mark Reynolds, Health Nurse for Truman said, "They handled over 50 injuries. These injuries ranged from insect bites to fractures."

Although the Spirit Festival was enjoyed by many, others who attended did not enjoy it as much. These people complained about needing to purchase tickets. These tickets were used for carnival rides, food and beverages. The least expensive book was \$5 which contained 20 tickets while the \$10 book contained 40 tickets. Kelly Ewing, a student at Avila said, "I did not enjoy the festival as much because I thought it was an inconvenience for not only myself, but also for others, to pay for rides, food and beverages with tickets."

Despite the missing money, the expensive ticket prices and the minor injuries, overall the Spirit Festival was a great success. The gala affair left smiles on many people faces as they hurriedly walked through the closing gates Sunday at Midnight. Many left dragging along as if all of their energy had been sucked out of them. But others left singing the blues and still energized with the hopes of attending Spirit Festival 1990.



Success on the Road

By Jeff Kraus, Sports Editor

The Soccer team ventured to St. Louis over the memorial Day weekend for their first regular season away game. The Avalanche battled Harris Stowe Saturday afternoon and won quite decisively by the score of 5-0. Goals were scored by Tony Juarez, Dean Pere, and Craig Wania, Freshman Kyle Priest blasted two goals past their goalie to finish the game.

Canton Missouri was the setting for the second away game. The Culver Stockton Wildcats played host to the Avalanche on Memorial Day late in the afternoon. The Avalanche toppled the Wildcats by the score of 3-0. The Avalanche worked the ball well and could have scored more goals if the players had kept their shots on the ground. Dylan Aimen commented, "these games were district games and they're the most important games of all." All soccer games are important to Coach Ferris and the team, however, the district game record determines who will play in the playoffs at the end of the season.

Goals were scored by Jon Park, Jeff Lamberti, and Charlie Keiper. The Avalanche is 2-0 in district play and ready to take on all opponents. Come sit on the hill and support your 1989 Avila Soccer Team.

A Quality Preseason Performance

By Jeff Kraus, Sports Editor

It all began July 30, 1989, the first day of preseason for the 1989 Avila Soccer team. Coach Scott Royal-Ferris entered this year somewhat apprehensive but at the same time quite excited. Coach Ferris' mixed emotions were brought on because of the youth that was to make up more than half of the soccer team that would represent Avila College.

After two grueling weeks of preseason fitness training it was off to St. Louis where the Avalanche rolled onto a 2-0-1 preseason record. Everyone was in high spirits and eager to open up the regular season with a home game against Kansas Newman. Weather however, forced the two teams to play the game at another location nearby Avila, thus giving neither team the homefield advantage. The Avalanche combined foot speed and strength to crush Kansas Newman by the score of 5-2. With two goals coming freshman Charlie Keiper and one goal each coming from Richard Joyce, Dylan Aimen, and Tony Juarez, the game was a very offensive and explosive match.

Two days later, Drake University, a strong NCAA Division I squad traveled from Des Moines, Iowa to open their regular season against Avila. Neither prime field conditions nor a pumped up Avalanche team could make up for the loss of starting defensive backs Richard Joyce, a returning all district player, and Jim Ricker. Richard was injured and sidelined after only ten minutes, and Jim, a junior transfer from Johnson County Community College, didn't get to suit up because of a sudden case of strepp throat. The Avalanche pulled together and still played a respective game of soccer although falling short 0-2.

You may have noticed a few new faces roaming the campus dressed out in soccer attire. Joining returning players Richard Joyce, Boodie Kraus, Jon Park, Tony Juarez, Tom Tish, Richie Dupius, Craig Wania and Mike Joyce are a whole cast of freshmen and community college transfers. Jim Ricker and Dean Pere are transfer students, Dean coming to Avila from Marymount College. It was another big recruiting year from St. Louis. Charlie Keiper, Tim Kelly, Jeff Lamberti, and Glen Simon are all from the St. Louis area. Glen is a transfer student from Florissant Valley Community College. Jeff Doherty is a freshman from Shawnee Mission South High School and Mike Maupin is from Bishop Miege. John Cone is one of the goal keepers and he comes to Avila from Golden, Colorado. Kyle Priest is a freshmen from Indianapolis, Indiana. Mark Hoffman has been a student here at Avila for the past three years and he has come out to add some size and depth to a small Avila squad.

All these new players are sure to make this season one of the most interesting and exciting seasons the school has ever seen. Richard Joyce explained, "There are no expectations of us. The younger players have no way of knowing who is threatening opponent and who is not. This make way for an all out effort each game."

Coach Ferris and the Avila Soccer team would like to thank all members of the Booster Club for putting together such a great barbeque after the Alumni game. As you all probably know, the Alumni got lucky and knocked off the varsity soccer team by the score of 2-1. thanks for a good time!

Lady Netters: Avalanche Nets Return

By Virginia Lewis

The Lady Avalanche volleyball team opened their season Labor Day weekend at the Pittsburg State Tournament. Because of the small number of teams (only four), the tournament was a pool of play construction, each match consisting of a three out of five game win.

The first day of play, Friday, September 1, Avila met Missouri Southern. From the beginning, it looked as if Avila could not be stopped, beating Missouri Southern in the first two games. After that, Avila faced an uphill battle that only ended in defeat.

Missouri Southern came back to win the Friday night match in five close games, (9-15, 11-15, 15-9, 15-9, 15-11). Saturday morning Avila faced both Southwest Baptist and Pittsburg. The struggle from the night before continued and even grew harder. Against Southwest Baptist, Avila managed to capture one game, yet their opponents still came out on top in four games, (15-12, 15-8, 15-17, 15-1). Pittsburg State continued the ruthless attack on Avila, defeating them in only three games, (15-11, 15-11, 15-9).

Back in the locker room, Head Coach Joan Ice reviewed the tournament. She noted that the momentum of the team started high, yet took a downhill slide from the start. She also noticed a number of problems, two of which included communication and serve-reception.

The Pittsburg State Tournament developed more than the three losses for Avila. It also prompted change. The changes occurred in Avila's offensive tactics and their serve-reception on the court.

Soccer 1989

|                                |                       |                        |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Sat. Sept. 16                  | Benedictine           | Away 2:00              |
| Wed. Sept. 20                  | William Jewell        | Away 3:00              |
| Sun. Sept. 24                  | Rockhurst             | Home 2:00              |
| Sat. Sept. 30                  | UMKC                  | Home 2:00 (Homecoming) |
| Wed. Oct. 4                    | Tarkio                | Home 4:00              |
| Fri. Oct. 6                    | Sangamon St.          | Away 7:00              |
| Sun. Oct. 8                    | McKendree             | Away 1:00              |
| Wed. Oct. 11                   | SW Missouri St.       | Home 4:00              |
| Sat. Oct. 14                   | John Brown University | Away 2:00              |
| Sun. Oct. 15                   | Missouri South.       | Away 2:00              |
| Thurs. Oct. 19                 | Park College          | Home 3:30              |
| Sun. Oct. 22                   | Lindenwood            | Home 2:00              |
| Wed. Oct. 25                   | Westminister          | Home 2:00              |
| Sat. Oct. 28                   | Central Methodist     | Home 2:00              |
| Tues. Oct. 31                  | District Play-offs    | TBA                    |
| Head Coach: Scott Royal-Ferris |                       |                        |

Despite the disappointing losses, both co-captains reflected on the weekend positively. Senior Karen Kinney observed on problem, "I thought we played well, but we weren't consistent enough to come out on top."

Junior Tina Caldwell pointed out how the team could use their weekend experience to their advantage. "It was a well worthwhile trip. It gave us some experience and showed up what we need to work on."

The following Tuesday, September 5, Avila welcomed both Central Methodist and St. Mary's of Leavenworth into Mabee Fieldhouse. They also proved that a changed offense can work.

The Lady Avalanchers met District 16 team Central Methodist first. It was evident from the start that Avila was out to win. The match ended in two games, (15-5, 15-9), allowing Avila to mark one under their win column.

Avila's momentum continued into their next match against St. Mary's. In less than twenty minutes, Avila handed St. Mary's a 15-2, 15-3 defeat.

Junior transfer Stephanie

Volleyball 1989

|                  |                                    |            |
|------------------|------------------------------------|------------|
| Fri. Sept. 15-16 | Avila Tourn.                       | Home TBA   |
| Tues. Sept. 19   | Baker/MO Valley                    | Home 6:00  |
| Thurs. Sept. 21  | Mid. Am. Nazarene                  | Away TBA   |
| Tues. Sept. 26   | Centr. Methodist                   | Away TBA   |
| Fri. Sept. 19    | Park/Fontbonne                     | Away 6:00  |
| Sat. Sept. 30    | St. Mary's of Leavenworth          | Home 11:30 |
| Tues. Oct. 3     | St. Mary's (Leavenworth)/Park      | Away TBA   |
| Sat. Oct. 6-7    | Rockhurst Tourn.                   | Away TBA   |
| Tues. Oct. 10    | Central Methodist/Missouri Baptist | Away TBA   |
| Fri. Oct. 13     | Benedictine Tourn.                 | Away TBA   |
| Tues. Oct. 17    | MO Valley/Columbia                 | Away TBA   |
| Fri. Oct. 20-21  | Nebr. Wesleyan Tourn.              | Away TBA   |
| Tues. Oct. 24    | Mid Am./Tarkio                     | Home 6:00  |
| Fri. Oct. 27-    | Dist. #16 Play-offs                | Away TBA   |
| Sat. Oct. 28     | (School of the Ozarks)             | Away TBA   |

Head Coach: Joan Ice

Cucar explained why she thought the team did better compared to the weekend before. "Communication between the players was much better. Also, with the new set-up on the court, we didn't lose as many points defensively."

Intramurals

Need a relaxing way to unwind? The Intramurals program may be the answer. Competitive tournaments in volleyball, softball, ping pong, billiards, and more, offer an active challenge.

Take a relaxing trip. Float trips and ski trips are coming soon.

The Intramurals program is produced out of the Office of Student Life by Charlene Hermann and Janet Aguirre. Stop by Student Life for more details.

Fall '89 Tutoring Schedule

| MONDAY  | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY   |
|---|--|---|--|--|
| <b>CHEMISTRY</b><br>12:00 - 2:30<br>Sue Graham<br>Rm 213  | <b>CHEMISTRY</b><br>9:30 - 12:00<br>Sue Graham<br>Rm 216   | <b>CHEMISTRY</b><br>2:00 - 4:30<br>Sue Graham<br>Rm 213<br><br><b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b><br>11:00 - 12:00<br>Jennifer Lee<br>Rm 104 | <b>CHEMISTRY</b><br>9:30 - 12:00<br>Sue Graham<br>Rm 216<br><br><b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b><br>1:00 - 3:00<br>Jennifer Lee<br>Rm 104   | <b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b><br>9:00 - 10:00<br>Jennifer Lee<br>Rm 104<br><br>1:00 - 2:00<br>Jennifer Lee<br>Rm 104 |
| <b>MA 11, 12, 16, 31, 50, 113, and 130</b><br><br>10:00 - 10:50<br>Cheryl Wintner<br>Rm 212                 | <b>MA 11, 12, 16, 31, 50, 113, and 130</b><br><br>11:00 - 12:00<br>Cheryl Wintner<br>Rm 205                | <b>MA 11, 12, 16, 31, 50, 113, and 130</b><br><br>10:00 - 10:50<br>Cheryl Wintner<br>Rm 212                                       | <b>MA 11, 12, 16, 31, 50, 113, and 130</b><br><br>11:00 - 12:00<br>Cheryl Wintner<br>Rm 212  | <b>MA 11, 12, 16, 31, 50, 113, and 130</b><br><br>10:00 - 10:50<br>Cheryl Wintner<br>Rm 212                    |
| <b>ACCOUNTING</b><br>1:00 - 2:00<br>Nancy Poyer<br>Rm 211<br><br>4:00 - 5:30<br>Nancy Poyer<br>Rm 212       | <b>SPANISH</b><br>2:30 - 4:30<br>Bill Beaver<br>HRC  | <b>ACCOUNTING</b><br>1:00 - 2:00<br>Nancy Poyer<br>Rm 211<br><br>6:30 - 8:00 p.m.   | <div>COLLEGE SKILLS CENTRE<br/>Lower Blasco</div> <div>Additional Tutoring can be received in the Skills Centre in lower Blasco. Walk-ins are welcome.</div> <div>942-8400 ext 270</div> |  |
| <b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b><br>12:00 - 5:00<br>Bob Ferdlard<br>Rm 104<br><br>9:00 - 11:00<br>Kim Jued<br>Rm 104 | <b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b><br>1:00 - 3:00<br>Jennifer Lee<br>Rm 104<br><br>9:00 - 11:00<br>Kim Jued<br>Rm 104 | <b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b><br>12:00 - 5:00<br>Bob Ferdlard<br>Rm 104<br><br>9:00 - 11:00<br>Kim Jued<br>Rm 104                       |  |  |
| <b>MA 12, 16</b><br>1:00 - 1:50<br>Lisa Fisher<br>Rm 212<br><br>2:00 - 2:50<br>Lisa Fisher<br>Rm 508        | <b>MA 12, 16</b><br>7:00 - 7:50 p.m.<br>Lisa Fisher<br>Rm 508  | <b>MA 12, 16</b><br>1:00 - 1:50<br>Lisa Fisher<br>Rm 212<br><br>2:00 - 2:50<br>Lisa Fisher<br>Rm 508                              | <b>MA, 12, 16</b><br>7:00 - 7:50 p.m.<br>Lisa Fisher<br>Rm 508<br><br><b>COMPUTER SCIENCE</b><br>9:00 - 11:00<br>Kim Jued<br>Rm 104  | <b>MA 12, 16</b><br>1:00 - 1:50<br>Lisa Fisher<br>Rm 212   |



CLASSIFIED ADS

Students!!! Baby-sitting jobs to fit your schedule. Pays cash. Car and references required. Call TLC 931-6411.

Baby-sitter wanted — Lakewood area of Lee's Summit; Thurs. or Fri. afternoons; occasional evenings and weekends; own transportation. Call 478-0349, Terry.

Why not consider improving the morale of the Avila Campus? How? Get into the spirit by joining the DANCE SQUAD and brightening up the various sports events. If interested, contact Chris Collins (761-1190) or Brenda May, instructor, in the Dance Studio.

Would you like to play women's basketball for Avila College? If so, contact Coach Meredith Wilcox for information concerning try-outs. Her home phone is: 444-0940. There is Financial Aid money available for playing on this fun, exciting team!

Kevin - please don't tell Skippy where I live...he scares me!!!  
Thanks, Ms. PMS

T.A. & J.B. - in the woods, watching the stars, just me and him, this doesn't look good does it?

**CLOWN MINISTER**  
We are looking for Clown Ministers again this year. If interested, contact Fr. Mike at ext. 298 of the Campus Ministry Office or in the tunnel in Hodes (near the office of the campus nurse).

**CAMPUS MINISTRY**  
Interested in making your would here in K.C. a better world? Why not think of actively participating in campus ministry in one of their three ways. Contact Fr. Mike ext. 298.